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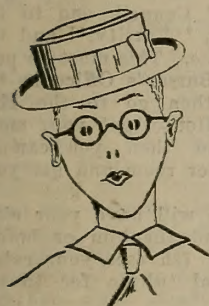
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THE PSALM OF LIFE



2—The first year man
when he comes to
school,
Looks with awe on a
two-foot rule.



3—The second year man
has learned about
the top;
He sizes up the fresh-
man with an eye
for a scrap.

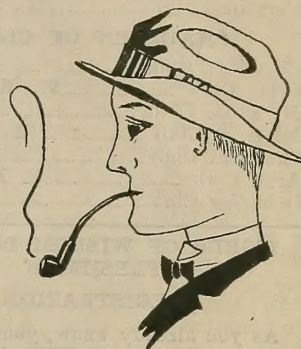
1—Stand up, stand up for the Science
Faculty,
With Arts and Meds they form a
trinity.

Chorus:

Then shout ye chaps for the
S.P.S.,
Whose motto is meekness and
peacefulness.



4—The third year man'd
rather fall down a
mine,
Than dive the depths
of construction de-
sign.



5—The fourth year man
comes back to have
his fling,
He bums around the
lab and he doesn't
do a thing.

6—The Science Faculty is the best
Faculty.

That ever came over to old Var-
sity;

Now we hope this song has
touched your hearts,

And you won't consign us to
warmer parts,

For we've shouted this song for
the S.P.S.,

Whose motto is meekness and
peacefulness.

RULES FOR FRESHMEN

The following rules have been
drawn up and approved and
will be observed by all Fresh-
men during the time stated.

The first group of Rules will
be enforced during the whole
of the School year.

1. The first year will supply
all fatigue parties required by
the Engineering Society Execu-
tive. These parties will be de-
tailed by the first year execu-
tive.

2. The first year will provide
one man daily, to report to the
President of the Engineering
Society for whatever services
may be required. (Members of
the first year Executive and En-
gineering Society Committees
are excluded.)

3. The east door of the en-
gineering building shall not be
used by any Freshman.

4. Freshmen must not wear
Spats or Derbies.

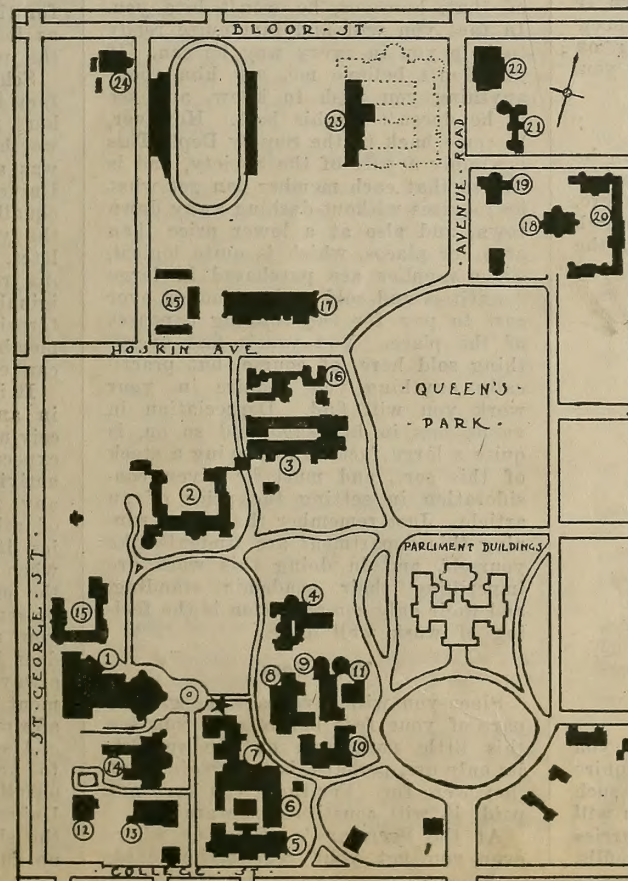
The following Rules must be
observed up to the time of the
school initiation:—

1. All Freshmen will wear a
green tie of the style approved
and supplied by the Supply De-
partment of the Engineering
Society.

2. All Freshmen will enter
the school buildings by the
basement doors only.

3. Freshmen will remove their
hats in all school buildings.

There will be no haz-
ing. The initiation is arranged
by representatives of the first
and second years, and you will
be notified of the time and
place.



★—Engineering Building.

1—Simcoe Hall.

2—University College.

3—Hart House.

4—Library.

5—Mining Building.

6—Electrical Building.

7—Thermodynamics Building.

8—Medical Building.

9—Anatomy Building.

10—Biological Building.

11—Heating Plant.

12—University Press.

13—Chemistry Building.

14—Physics Building.

15—Knox College.

16—Wycliffe College.

17—Trinity College.

18—Victoria College.

19—Victoria College Library.

20—Burwash Hall.

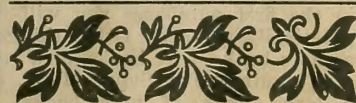
21—Annesley Hall.

22—Household Science Building.

23—Royal Ontario Museum.

24—Observatory.

25—Men's Residence.



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WORDS OF WISDOM FOR THE FRESHMAN

REGISTRATION

As you already know, your first move is to the Registrar's Office in the Main Building, where you receive your admission card. From there go to the Mining Building and once inside watch for signs that will direct you to the proper room, where you will receive your Registration Card. From there go to the old Engineering building and on up to the top floor, where you will be given your drafting table. If you want to be near your friends, get your tables at the same time, as changes are hard to make. Your next move is to get your drafting supplies, a list of which is given below. Go to Room 19 (the supply department and engineering office) in the same building on the ground floor and look about you.

Draughting Supplies
Registration

The following list of supplies can be purchased at the Supply Dept. at prices considerably lower than elsewhere, since it is run by the Society of which you are now a member, purely for the benefit of the students of School.

- 1 Drawing Board.
- 1 T-square.
- 1 set square, 45°, 10-in.
- 1 set square, 60°, 14-in.
- 1 set square, 60°, 4-in.
- 1 dozen thumb tacks.
- 1 Fractional scale.
- 1 Decimal scale.
- 1 2H pencil.
- 1 3H pencil.
- 1 5H pencil.
- 1 cleaning rubber (art gum).
- 1 soft pencil rubber.
- 1 ink rubber.
- 1 bottle drawing ink (black).
- 1 bottle drawing ink (red).
- 1 bottle drawing ink (blue).
- 1 set drawing instruments.
- 4 sheets drawing paper.
- 1 portfolio.

The above list is solely to guide you in the first purchases you will require practically at once. Other things, such as note books, text books, etc., you will also require. The Supply Dept. carries a large stock of note books, refills,

printed notes, pencils and so on, but your text books you can get from the Students' Book Department, in behind the Physics Building, at reduced rates. The Y. M. C. A. in Hart House has a book exchange, where second hand books may be obtained at a very reasonable price. However, do not buy your books until each lecturer has told you what you will require. Now to give you a little information about the Supply Department.

The Supply Department.

In Room 19 of the Old School Building you will find as you enter the room a large table with a chair or so behind it, but do not let the chair bother you. Sit right down on the table, if you can find room, and gaze about you. In front of you, you will see a counter and a show case or two. In behind that you will see one or more of the Society Executive whom we had the honour of electing last spring. Don't let them frighten you. They are not as fierce as they look, and are really quite obliging fellows. Mr. George Smart, second vice-president of the Engineering Society, is in charge of the Supply Dept. He's the little chap with the high intellectual brow and snapping brown eyes. He will be glad to help you all he can. This room, then, is the Supply Dept. If you proceed on toward the back of the room you will run up against a partition with a swing door to it. You have now reached the porta of the Engineering Society office. This is the home of the president of the Society, Mr. "Bill" Osbourne, who, of course, is a student like yourselves, but is about to pass on to the cold, cold world. In other words, he is a mighty senior. In spite of that, however, he won't bite you. In fact you will find him quite ready to help you in every way he can. If you don't believe me, ask him about anything you wish to know, and see if he doesn't do his best. However, to come back to the Supply Dept. This is simply a part of the Society, and is run so that each member can get what he requires without dashing away down town, and also at a lower price than at other places, which is quite logical, since supplies are purchased in large quantities and sold at just enough over cost to pay for the running expenses of the place. You won't find everything sold here, of course, but practically anything you require in your work you will find. Depreciation in value, loss in breakage and so on, is quite a large factor in carrying a stock of this sort, and must be given consideration in setting the price of an article. Just remember that those running this department are students like yourself, and in doing this work are imperilling their academic standing, and their only compensation is the feeling of work well done.

Your Fees

Since you will have paid the greater part of your fees before ever you see this little paragraph on the subject, its only use, perhaps, is to explain what they were for. For those you have not paid, it will constitute a warning.

At the Secretary's office, or wherever you get your registration card,

you will forfeit six or eleven dollars, depending on the course you are going to take. This is a point worth watching. My room-mate, when I was a Freshman, left his choice of courses to Fate, and pulled out an eleven dollar one, and couldn't go to a show for a month as a result. Of this wad, two dollars is your membership to the Eng. Society and one dollar your athletic membership fee; the remainder covers breakages in the labs. or elsewhere. Incidentally, if you are a good boy you will get some of it back again at the end of the school year. Your next fee is your Hart House one, of eleven dollars. Of that sum, one dollar goes to the Students' Council, one to the University paper, "Varsity," and the rest to Hart House. This must be paid at once at the Bursar's Office in the main building, then go to the Hall Porter in Hart House, get your membership card, and then you can go down to the locker room and get your locker.

After this you will have your class fee, club fee, and then on or before November 6th or 7th (see your calendar) your general tuition fee to the Bursar.

SCHOOL TRADITIONS

Just how many of you Freshmen are acquainted with School traditions we do not know. Nor can we wait to find out. Time is too valuable. It is to you that we look for the future guidance and standing of School, therefore we must begin at once to guide and advise so that the work of those who have been before you will not end in failure. It is a grave responsibility you must assume, and therefore, you must begin at once to work for that end and to continue to do so as long as you are at School and for the rest of your lives after that.

School has always been proud of the fact that at any University gathering, her representation has always been worthy of her, whether the part taken was an active or passive one. At all University games, the School yell equalled, if not surpassed, in volume the yells of other faculties. In athletics, School has always played a leading role, and in social affairs the originality of School in thought and enterprise has been unquestioned. Remember, this is not just talk. You can easily prove it for yourselves.

It is therefore your turn now to step in and do your share. You are receiving something from School. School expects something from you. There are activities enough in School to cover any possible individual need outside of athletics altogether, and in athletics, if you are not an athlete, get out when your team is out, and give them the encouragement of your voice and presence. Unless you are an athlete you may not realize just how that does buck up a team. Another thing, always give first place on your engagement list to your School and Class affairs.

Above everything else we ask you to keep the name of "Schoolman" unsullied and above reproach in this University and elsewhere. If there is the slightest spark of manhood in you no further word of ours is necessary.

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

Your Class

Last spring, School had her election day. Each year or class elected their year officers, that is, a President, a Vice-President, and a Secretary-Treasurer. Within the next few weeks you must elect the officers for your year. Naturally your year executive make or break your year. Therefore, get acquainted with your fellows and make sure that you have the best men in those positions. You have not much time to do it in, but you will have a whole year to repent in if you do not exert yourself now and do the best you can.

Your Initiation

You are no doubt wondering just what your initiation will be like. It is quite safe to say that everyone on entering School spends a considerable portion of his time doing that very thing. While it is quite impossible to tell you what form it will take, you can rest assured that there will be no hazing. Nor will there be any undue rough stuff. Your own Executive and the second year Executive will get together and decide on the various phases, which will then be rigidly passed upon by a committee from the third or fourth years. There has been too much criticism of initiations in general, to permit of any unsanctioned stunts.

Your University

Do not forget that while you are a Schoolman you are also a "Varsity" man. Keep up your Faculty spirit by all means, but do the same by your University. She is second to none, and remember this, that people who do not know your University judge it by your actions. **They expect a University man to be a gentleman and a sportsman at all times.** Never forget that. If you are not, you disgrace your University, yourself, and every other Varsity man or girl. One thing more, whenever you hear any adverse criticism of your University you can be quite positive that its cause lies in the words or actions of some one who should never have been permitted to enter it.

On the front page of this paper you will find the School yell. It's yours, so learn it. The following is your University yell—learn it:—

Toronto, Toronto, Toronto Varsity.

We'll shout and fight for the blue and white,

And the honour of U. of T.

A ripartee, a rappartee,

A ripartee, rapartee, ree,

Toronto, Toronto, Toronto Varsity.

Hart House

So much can be said about Hart House that it is a problem to know what to mention and what to leave out, unless a book is to be written. But that cannot be done here, so perhaps it will be sufficient to be general and allow you to wander through its great halls and corridors unprepared. There will be so many other gasps and coo's of delight and wonder, that perhaps yours will be unheard, thus permitting you to depart with your dignity and poise as a Freshman of this great University, as fresh and colourful as the fields in spring. Hart House is your

club, and as a member of this club you are supposed to be a gentleman and expected to treat your club as a gentleman would. So far any Schoolman has always gone to the athletic field when he felt the need of releasing his superfluous energy, and the same is expected of you. It may be true that some of our theological brethren across the way pray for our souls on occasion, but they can't deny that we have a nice sense of judgment when it comes to being a gentleman or not a gentleman. Oh, we are certainly a versatile bunch of boys. However, Hart House is yours, so show some pep and get something in return for the fee you paid.

Your Handbook

The University Y. M. C. A. issues a handbook, which is simply bursting with information about your University and your Faculty. Don't forget to get one. It won't cost you a cent, and will be issued either at the Supply Dept. or in the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Hart House.

The Toike Orchestra

While music is not one of the subjects on the School curriculum, nevertheless it plays a most important part in School social functions, as you will learn very soon. We do, and have a right, to be very proud of our orchestra. It has established a record that is the envy of all the other orchestras in the University. However, if you can play an instrument, look up the director and he will be glad to give you a trial.

The "Varsity"

The students of the University edit a newspaper for the Undergraduates. You will find your copy at the Supply Dept. You have already paid for it, so take a copy off the pile. If you have reportorial inclinations, make haste to speak to Mr. Jimmy Peddar, IV. Year, who will give you any information you desire.

Your Lectures

On the notice boards in the Mining Building and in the Engineering Building, you will find time-tables giving the time and place of your lectures. These time-tables are subject to change, however, so keep watching them until the settling down period is over. There will then be issued printed time-tables, a copy of which you can get from the Secretary's office. It is advisable to look up each of your lecture-rooms beforehand and thus avoid confusion.

PUBLICITY SERVICE

Every activity in School this year will boom under Bill Osbourne's competent leadership. For the latest news in every line watch the Notice Board outside the Engineering Society.

All publicity will be handled through one department, so hand in notices at the Supply Department.

To handle the work a committee of five or six will be needed, so that each one will have only a small amount to do. Here is a chance for you to help School. Hand in your name at the Engineering Society.

EXTRA! EXTRA!!

Say, Freshman. Have you heard of Joey Breen? The chap with the game-ness and smile that seventeen tons of gravel could not wear off. Have you heard of Beatty Ramsay, who starred in twenty-seven games to the Allen Cup without a single penalty—steadier than the rock of Gibraltar and the Prudential Life together? Or have you heard how School, with a bunch of comers from first and second year, romped home with the Rugby and Basketball championships?

If not, grab the family flintlock, ram in six inches of black powder, and a handful of old nails. There's a hole in our line as wide as the Eastern Gap. Jump right in we are looking for a rough tough, and nasty bunch of Freshmen to fill it. Dig out that dirty old set of moleskins, the one that is all ripped under the arms, the one in which you helped bring fame to your School. Hunt up the old spikes and the trunks, steal a sweater from your roommate or the landlady, and get going. Every mother's son of you has a set of leather lungs that have been sleeping since Heaven knows when. For goodness sake unwrap them and yell like the proverbial H——. School is in everything. Don't forget that everybody in the Little Red School House is pulling for you.

Don't go around so dumb that you think Lou Marsh is a place to shoot ducks. We know that this life is new to you, and we want you to feel at home.

Fall sports divide more or less into Tennis, Rugby, Track, and Soccer. School has a Junior and Senior Rugby Team, the first two years Junior. The Mulock Cup, emblematic of the Rugby championship, was won last year by Junior School. School's track team has brought home the bacon for the last four years, and we hope, with your aid, to repeat. School holds the Inter-scholastic Cup for soccer. Let's hang on to it.

Winter sports bring into play the Varsity Rink, under our versatile Ross Workman, and our famous Hart House. School has always been keen contenders for the Jennings Hockey Cup. We must win it this year. Indoors, basketball, baseball, boxing and wrestling, swimming and water polo hold sway. With almost a new team Junior School romped home with the basketball championship. School won the Junior Assault-at-Arms, and were just nosed out in the Senior.

The swimming championship was lost by one point.

Apart from Interfaculty sport, it should be the aim of every Freshman to make a place on one of the Inter-collegiate teams; but don't forget you have four years in which to do it.

Get a line on the team managers, turn out to every practice; let's put Toike Oike across as it has never been done before.

"FRESHMEN"

Three men are wanted from your ranks to work on publicity work. Sign painting experience not necessary. See T. R. Emerson or leave your name at the Engineering Society.

TO THE FRESHMEN

As an undergraduate of the University of Toronto, you are entering a sphere destined to change the whole course of your life, for good or for bad. In this your first year you are going to lay the foundations for your whole four years. It is well, therefore, at this time for you to give some time to the consideration of how you are going to proportion your time among the various activities you will find here. You are no longer at High School, and your studies are no longer compulsory. The amount of knowledge you acquire is entirely up to yourself. The man who starts now to form regular habits of study will find himself far ahead when the notice boards display the Final Exam, schedule. Further, we would ask you to use care and judgment in the picking of your friends. You have come here with a definite purpose. Do not let bad companions be the means of your forgetting it. The temptation to follow the line of least resistance is very great, but he who takes it, is a self-confessed weakling.

Do not be disappointed because the men of the other years do not fall on your neck and kiss you when you arrive. They are busy settling down themselves, and have not the time to greet you with tears in their eyes. But they are glad to see you nevertheless, and are hoping, with greater fervour than you are yourself probably, that you are of the right stuff. It is up to you to dig in and show them that you are.

If at any time you are in doubt about anything, go to the engineering office and ask. It is as much yours as any one else's, and anyone there will be glad to tell you if they can. On the front page of this paper you will find the School yell and the School hymn. They are put there for your benefit, so learn them and let us hear them when the time comes.

THE ENGINEERING SOCIETY

The University of Toronto Engineering Society is the Association of all the undergraduates of this faculty. The annual membership fee of \$2.00 is collected from every student on registering. It is, therefore, your own society. It was founded in 1885, being known at that time as the Engineering Society of the School of Practical Science. The first president was the Principal of the School, Professor Galbraith. In its fourth year the president was chosen from among the students, and from that time the chief officer has been chosen from the senior year. At first membership was optional, but later was made compulsory for all students in attendance at the School.

At the present time the Society is divided into four years or classes, each of which is represented on the executive by the year president. It is further divided into six clubs, viz., The Civil Club, The Mining and Metallurgy Club, The Electrical and Mechanical Club, The Chemical Club, The Architectural Club, and the Debating Club. Each club has a chairman, who is on the executive, and to assist him, a member of his Club from each year.

Meetings are held by the Society and by each Club at regular intervals. It is the aim of those in charge to make these as interesting as possible to all members by having prominent men address them on topics related to their various courses. It is quite amazing how valuable the information thus given is to the student. It gives him a peep into the practical or commercial aspect of his course which is manifestly invaluable.

Each spring during the first week in March the annual elections are held, during which the following officers are elected for the Society: President, 1st and 2nd Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Curator. The incoming first year elect their officers as soon as possible after the opening of the session.

The Society controls all general undergraduate activities in the School except athletics, with which, however, it works in harmony. The Society runs the Supply Dept. for the convenience of the students, and any profits that may accrue go to the Society to give them sufficient financial backing to make the annual School Dinner and Dance the two leading functions of their kind in the University.

One thing more, the Society prints little booklets of the Constitution. You can get one gratis by asking for it at the Supply Dept.

DON'TS FOR THE FRESHMAN

Don't give your Faculty yell at a University gathering. The Varsity yell takes precedence in such a case.

Don't think you are still important because you were so at your prep. school. Everyone starts at the bottom here.

Don't forget that School expects you to do your bit in keeping her to the fore.

Don't expect School to make an engineer of you. She only gives you the foundation.

Don't try to evade your duties as a Freshman. You will only make it harder for yourself.

Don't forget that it takes a good man to be a good winner, but it takes a damn sight better man to be a good loser.

"YOU"

If you want to go to the kind of a school,

Like the kind of a school you like,

You needn't slip your clothes in a grip
And start on a long, long hike.

You will only find what you left behind,

For there's nothing that's really new,

It's a knock at yourself when you knock your school;

It isn't your school—it's You!

Real schools are not made by men afraid

Lest somebody else get ahead,
When everyone works and nobody shirks.

You can raise a school from the dead.
And if while you gain your personal fame,

Your fellows can gain their's, too,
Your school will be what you wish to see;

It isn't your school—it's You!

Get Your Supplies

AT THE

Engineering Society Supply Dept.

Slide Rules

Drafting Instruments

and all

Drafting Materials

School Note Paper

Green Ties

Chocolate Bars

Cigarettes

PERSONALS

Sympathy of every School man goes out to the family and friends of L. F. Stokes, a 2 T 3 graduate of School, news of whose death from malaria while in British Guiana on a diamond hunting expedition has just been received. Vern was much liked about School for his quiet ways and earnestness of purpose. He was prominent in all School athletics, besides serving on many committees, and favorably impressed all those with whom he came in contact.

Mr. "Shorty" Horning dropped in on us the other day, and in his charming tenor insisted that he had been working for King George the Fourth, all summer. When asked as to how he got that way, he replied: "Boot-legging!"